

PERFORMANCE RANKING / ORDER OF MERIT using Dynamic Rating

The process and calculation of a Performance Ranking, which utilizes a DYNAMIC RATING (DR) and a STROKE DIFFERENTIAL (SD), are detailed below:

- The performance ranking will operate on a rolling 12-month basis. For example, when scores for July 2024 are added, scores from July 2023 will be removed.
- Only Boland Golf and National Stroke Play Tournaments will contribute to the ranking, referred to as "Counting Events."
- A **DYNAMIC RATING** is calculated for each tournament round using a percentage of the field's gross scores. Note: All scores in the Counting Event (both eligible and non-eligible players) are considered when calculating the DYNAMIC RATING. However, only eligible Boland players will be displayed on the Order of Merit (OoM) ranking.

Calculation Method:

- Players' gross scores are ranked from best to worst after 18 holes. The top third of these scores are used to calculate the DYNAMIC RATING. For instance, if there are 30 players, the gross scores of the top 10 will be summed and then divided by 10. This result is the DYNAMIC RATING and represents the effective par for the course on that day. This calculation is repeated for each stroke play round within the Counting Event.
- A **STROKE DIFFERENTIAL** is calculated for each player by subtracting the **DYNAMIC RATING** from their gross score for that round. Note: This is not an adjusted gross score. This method compares a player's score against the day's effective par, taking into account course difficulty and weather conditions.
- Players will be ranked from best to worst; with each player's Stroke Differential and the number of counting rounds they have played displayed. Only eligible players will receive a ranking position.
- The ranking will be updated after the conclusion of each counting tournament, with the current counting tournament replacing the corresponding tournament from the previous year.